(a) whether there is surplus staff in the Delhi Transport Corporation; and

(b) if so, the category-wise number of surplus staff as on December 31, 1991?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF SURFACE TRANSPORT (SHRI JAGDISH TITLER): (a) and (b) As per current norms, DTC has a surplus of 2396 employees in the category of conductors as at the end fo December, 1991.

[*English*]

Sick Textile Units

3799. SHRI V. DHANANJAYA KUMAR: Will the Minister of TEXTILES be pleased to state:

(a) whether a number of textile units have become sick during the last three years and a large number of labourers have been affected as a result thereof;

(b) if so, the plans/efforts made to revive such sick textiles units so far ; and

(c) the steps taken by the Government to ensure healthy working of these mills in future?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF TEXTILES (SHRI ASHOK GEHLOT): (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) and (c). Steps taken by Government to revive these mills include creation of a Nodal Agency to determine viability of a sick mill, setting up of a Textile Modernisation Fund for modernisation assistance and setting up the Board for Industrial and Financial Reconstruction (BIFR) to draw revival packages.

World Bank Aided Projects

3800. SHRI SOBHANADREESWARA RAO VADDE:
SHRI HARISH NARAYAN PRABHU ZANTYE:
SHRI GAYA PRASAD KORI:
SHRI GUMAN MAL LODHA:
SHRI J. CHOKKA RAO:
SHRI LALIT ORAON:

Will the Minister of FINANCE be pleased to state:

(a) the World Bank aided ongoing projects in the country, State-wise;

(b) the quantum of the assistance given in each case;

(c) whether some of these projects have been discontinued due to the non-availability of funds in time from the World Bank;

(d) if so, the details thereof;

(e) the steps being taken by the Government for the continuation of these projects; and

(f) the details of the newly sanctioned World Bank aided projects, State-wise?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF FINANCE (SHRI RAMESHWAR THAKUR): (a), (b) and (f). A list of World Bank aided projects and the quantum of assistance in each case is given in the statement attached.

(c) No, Sir.

(d) and (e). Question does not arise.